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RESETTLEMENT OF JHUQQI CLUSTERS IN DELHI
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi Development authority is contemplating to resettle thousands of Jhuggi Clusters in Capital Delhi in a Planned manner within a set time frame;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the amount of expenditure likely to be incurred on the action plan;

(c) whether the land has been allotted by the DDA or the proposal is still under consideration;

(d) if so, the reasons for delay;

(e) whether the DDA has resettled certain jhuggi clusters in Delhi during the last three years; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and the amount spent on their resettlement, year-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a)to(d): The draft Master Plan of Delhi (MPD)-2021 prepared by DDA envisages amelioration of existing slum & Jhuggie clusters through a judicious mix of relocation and in situ development. As the MPD-2021 is at draft stage, no estimate of expenditure or land allotment have been prepared.

(e)&(f): DDA has reported that 51 jhuggie clusters have been removed and 18751 jhuggie dwellers have been relocated during the last three years. Approximately an amount of Rs.82.50 crore has been spent on their resettlement.
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